7. In the event of a breach of any of the conditions specified in the sale notice or agreement, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the produce collected confiscated and a penalty not exceeding Rs. 25 levied and recovered as an arrear of land revenue by the District Forest Officer and the security deposit or part thereof forfeited.

M. V. NARASIMHAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

RESALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 4th July 1925.

The timber of the defaulting purchasers will be resold by public auction at the following depots by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, or any other officer authorised by the District Forest Officer, at 2 P.M., on the dates noted against each depot under the following conditions :—

Sl. No.	Name of depot	Date of sale	Remarks
1	Mysore Woodyard ...	24th August 1925 ...	Timber of the defaulters of 1922-23, 1923-24 and 1924-25 and such of those of 1920-21 and 1921-22 as have not paid up their dues before the 30th June 1925.
2	Chamrajnagar ...	25th August 1925 ...	
3	Nanjangud ...	26th August 1925 ...	
4	Begur ...	28th August 1925 ...	
5	Udbur ...	29th August 1925 ...	
6	Antharsanthe ...	31st August 1925 ...	
7	Manchagowdanhalli ...	Do ...	
8	Sunkadakatte ...	2nd September 1925	
9	Ballegadde ...	3rd September 1925	
10	Sargur ...	4th September 1925	

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot, and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 500 in each case are subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay the full amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter, who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice shall be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser on the sale date, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser

8. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, excluding the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot.

9. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7, *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

10. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

11. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, on the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Notification dated 4th July 1925.

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, up to 2 P.M. on the 25th July 1925, for loading into waggons of firewood stacked at several rail heads on B.A.T., B.K.T., T.N.T., T.H.T., and B.J.T., and for several firewood works to be carried out in the Wood Yard at Bhadravati as detailed below for the year 1925-26:—

(*a*) Unloading firewood in the yard.
(*b*) Stacking of wood in the yard after sorting.
(*c*) Splitting of big pieces in the yard.
(*d*) Loading of extraneous fuel and unloading the same at the Central Works.
(*e*) Packing billets into buggies.

2. The tender should be in the form noted hereunder superscribed "Tender for loading of firewood into waggons and for several works of wood yard at Bhadravati."

3. Separate rates may be offered for all or any items of works detailed above and should be written distinctly both in words as well as in figures.

4. Each tender should be accompanied with a deposit of Rs. 200 in currency notes which will be returned in due course in respect of rejected tenders.

5. Acceptance of any tender will be discretionary with the District Forest Officer who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason for rejecting any tender.

The particulars of works and specifications to be required are furnished below for the information of intending tenderers.

(1) Loading of firewood into waggons. (Rates may be offered for each ton according to weighments taken by tramways).

(2) Unloading of wood at the wood yard. (Rate may be offered for each ton according to weighments taken by tramways).

(3) Rates for stacking of wood after sorting in the Wood Yard may be offered for each stack of 10 tons measuring 8′ x 4½′ x 32″.

4. *Splitting.*—Pieces 8″ to 10″ in diameter should be split into halves. Pieces above 10″ in diameter should be quartered. Rate for the above may be offered for each stack of 5 tons measuring 5′ x 4½′ x 22″.

5. Loading and unloading of extraneous fuel in cars. Rates may be offered for loading and unloading per ton of fuel actually weighed at Central Works.